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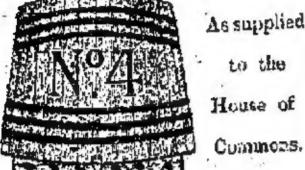
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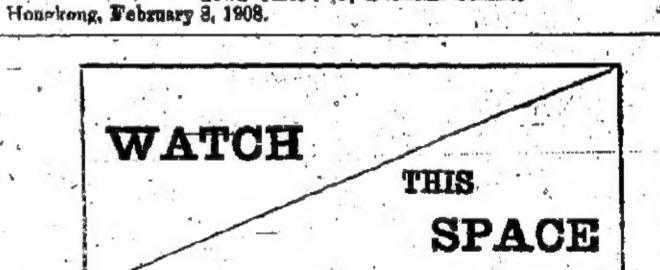
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than embarrassing to incur.
"Forty-three of the leading physicians in New York have published in the newspapers a letter saying that the present law is sufficient, and deprecating the purpose to 'fetter the discretion of qualified persons' by further restrictions. The opinion of these gentlemen carries great weight; nevertheless we read that the (Continued on Page 3.)

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The REGISTER of SHARES will be

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Hongkong, May 20, 1908. A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY THIRD ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company (since its Registration) will be hold at the Offices of the Cempany in Alexandra Buildings, on SATURDAY, the 30th instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts

to the 31st December, 1907. The REGISTER of SHARES will CLOSED from MONDAY, the 25th inst. o MONDAY, the 1st June, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

General Managers. Hongkong, May 20, 1908,

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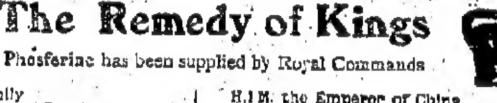
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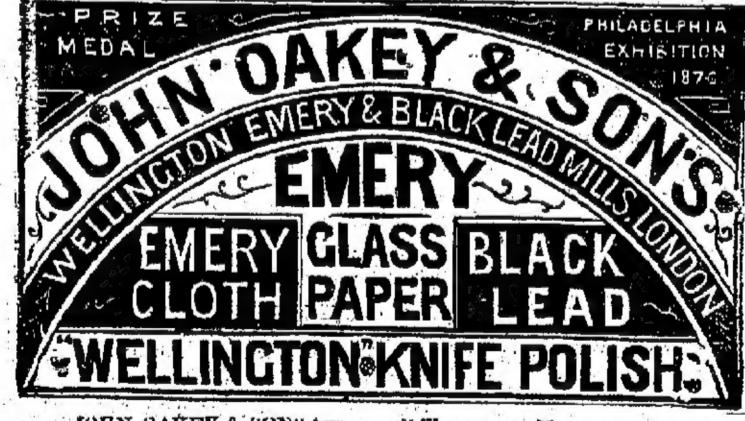
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Снаетнам.—On May 19, at Yokohama, the wife of WM. Bampord Cheetham, of a people. There would be no danger to uaugoter.

Miscellaneous. 11.30 a.m. - Meeting of The Star

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.

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General Memoranda. THUESDAY, May 28:--Goods per Namur not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent. Goods per Palermo not cleared at 4 p.m.

on this date subject to rent. they slay without reasoned motive. FRIDAY, May. 29 :-5 p.m .- Auction of Yacht Mary & Joan at Ah King's Slipway.

Prince of Portugal were killed by men SATURDAY, May 30:-Ncon-Tenders will be received at the who had no particular object in view. Office of Colonial Secretary. Noon - Meeting of A. S. Watson & Co.

2 p.m .- Meeting of Watkins, Ld., at Co.'s Office. 9 p.m. Concert in City Hall. Goods per Benlomond undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per China undelivered after this

date subject to rent. MONDAY, June 1:-2.36 p.m .- Auction of Japanese Silk Embroideries &c., at No. 29, Queen's Road Central, under Hongkong Hotel. Goods per Tonkin unclaimed after

this date at Noon will be subject to

rent and landing charges. TUESDAY, June 2:-9 p.m.-Performance at City Hall.

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Communications relating to news should be greater importance to us than the goodaddressed to THE EDITOR. Correspondents must forward their names ably the visit will pass off without

and addresses with any communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication but accident and great good will result. as evidence of good faith. All letters for publication should be written

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Vladivostock message. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued that Prince Ito is hastening his return to until countermanded. --Japan through fear of assassination should

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The Thina Iflail.

BONGEONG, TUEBDAY, MAY 26, 1908.

THE VISIT TO BUSSIA.

THE King can do no wrong." Even in these decadent days when "Jack as good as his master and a dashed 14th inst., one Japanese and two Koreaus sight better too," as a cynical Colonial were killed outright and seven others in the Empire asking them to keep a strict versemaker once wrote, there are some whose loyalty induces them to believe that wisdom always inspires the crownfalling on the 11th at Mosanrei, North ed head. There is a much bigger Koren. When the message was despatched section who, while secretly demurring the snow was lying two feet deep and traff on the roads had been stopped. at some action of the monarch, publicy applaud it. But we take it that genuino loyalty is that which respectexperimental farm of the Ministry fully dissents when a sovereign is con. Agriculture, Industry and Commerce; and templating a step which may work also visited the Zoological Gardens. The expenses for the decoration of these two immense wos to his realm. Which places amounted to over Tis. 700,000. brings us to a consideration of the proposed visit to Reval. Our gracious sovereign, since his accession to the evening of May 11 at Nagasaki by the German steamer Buelow from Hongkong. throne, has shown such sagacity and the following morning he left for Yokosuch a grasp of our tangled-foreign hama He states that some of his party politics that he has done much to are now in Tokyo, having come from Amerestore men's waning belief in Kingwill leave for America. All are travelling ship as a real and a vital force. under false names. Through him the relations of the Empire with our Continental neighbours have been vastly improved. The title " Edward the Peacemaker" was stomach, and there is no need of it, for bestowed first of all upon His Majesty Diarrhoes Remedy will allay the pain. Try and for the treatment of outs and bruises it ouce and be convinced. For sale by by a French publicist who was struck chemists and storekeepers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The London Council has issued orders rohibiting kissing games in its schools.

Plague has again appeared in Osaka woman, aged 52, was attacked by the disease on the 14th instant.

President of the Board of Civil Administra tion, has sent in for leave of retirement but it is not correct. . A steamer, the Senkai Maru, is being at the Conference at The Hague, is spoken

finances. Their condition does not at all | the Nottingham and Notte Crimean and warrant such auxious scratiny .- "Japan

sane people. No man, however defor the damage done in the course of the | was seventy years of age. recent anti-foreign disturbance. moeratic, would seriously contend that

> Azuma district, Gumma prefecture. Thirtyseven hotels were destroyed. Three gentle shocks of earthquake were felt on the morning of May 13th in -Yokohama. The first occurred at 5.23

> A private attached to the Royal Engineers was fined \$10 at the Magistracy to-day for assaulting two Chinamen, besides having to pay \$18.45 for damaging their property. For doing so he also had

The "Japan Advertiser" remark that, "with merchandise marked 2 doz. attention of the Anarchist lusting after. qualts,' a florist's sign advertising fresh a hideous notoriety. We know that the frowers, and a dairy cart peddling 'flesh greatest precautions will be taken but milk,' the phirorogists of the future are still an accident is possible. Should the going to have an 'l' of a time."

> ment that he has purphased four lightdraught gunboats, 3000 rifles, 700,000 rounds of ammunition and eight machineguns for the use of the Chekiang troops. At Hungiom on Monday a coolie had both his legs taken off through falling in front of the locomotive at work on the

couple the waggons, and in jumping from a heap of sand he foll and was run over by this forenoon, in the offices of the Imperial turn, when he dropped down a riddled That will not affect our argument. We the enmine. maintain that even the smallest risk According to a Tokyo despatch, the Japanese Department of Communications has concluded the survey of the position o out mishap that does not vitiate our

pleted by November: Rear-Admiral Yashiro, Naval Attaché The Amur was reopened to shipping 8th and 9th ultimo is estimated at about

> According to the "Peking and Tientein Times" some smart Chinese financiers are taking advantage of the fact that the notes of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank have not the name "Tientsin" in native characters. They declare that the notes

accept them only at a discount Communications has been informed that desperadoes of one kind or another are in the habit of felling and stealing telegraph Owing to the explosion off Ul-lung Island of a mechanical mine, which poles, in many parts of the country. H Korenns attempted to pull ashore on the B. Chen Pi, therefore, has forwarded des patches to district magistrates throughout

lookout on this matter

A Seishin telegroup of the 12th to the A Seoul message states that the mail Chynng-chyong Province, for Chyong-ju, attacked by a party of about 30 insurgents at a point about 4 miles from Chyong-an. Their Majesties the Empress Dowager the mails was killed, and the insurgents after defendant had been served with the and the Emperor have paid a visit to the

A rising at Kyungsong, 12 ri from Chientao is reported in a Seoul telegram of the 14th to the "Asahi.". The insurgents are burning the official buildings and It is reported in Tokyo journals that robbing the people. They declare that, in co-operation with their friends in Chientao they will attack the Japanese in that ter-The message quotes a report to the effect that the Chinese Government is said to be secretly sending "troops to

OHAMBERLAIN'S PAIN BALM. [70U will hunt a good while before you find a liniment that is equal to great favour by the Hongkong native Chamberlain's Pain Balm. In cases of rheumatism and sciatica it relieves the inis most annoying, as well as disagreetense pain and makes sleep and rast possible. Soreness of the muscles, swellings one done of Chamberlain's Colie, Cholera and and lameness are quickly relieved by it, there is nothing better. For sais by all

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

To-morrow is the anniversary of the name day of the Emperor of Russia.

Tsudzuki, Japan's principal representative

The death has occurred at Nottingham

Indian Mutiny Veterans' Association and

China-war, retiring with the rank

did not return home. An enjoyable after-

about sixty boys amused themselves in

and out of the water. After tea had been

discussed the work of re-embarkation

commenced, and at 7.30 the launch landed

its load of tired and cheering youngsters

at Jardine's wharf. The thanks of all are

An official dinner is being given by His

Burton, Dr van de Sande Bakhuizjen.

Mr and Mrs Dealy, Major Evans,

R.M.L.I., Mr and Mrs. Figg. Mr

and Mrs Fox, Mr T. Funatsu,

Major Grace, Mr W. E. Gibson, Captain

Hodges, U. S. S. "Galveston," Monsieur

et Madame Marty, Mademoiselle Morel,

Captain Marble, U. S. S. "Chattanooga,"

Comdr. Noble, H. M. S. "Britomart

Major Nuttall, Dr Noble, Mr and Mr.

Evan Ormiston, Cantain Bran, H. M. S.

Astraca," The Hon Mr H. W. Slade.

Major Samborne-Palmer, Mr and Mrs

unavoidably prevented from being present

-Dr and Mrs Heanley, Rev. A. Placzek

Mr and Mrs Van Houten, Mr. and Mrs

Cocker, Deputy-Commissioner, on

transfer to Foochow, was made the recipi

ent of a handsome silver cup from the

members of the out-door staff as a slight

member of the service. The Commis

sioner, Mr Parr, made the presenta

tion on behalf of the out-door staff

and Captain Cocker, in his usual hu

the past century he had been on

the old adage "Everything comes to him

who waits," and wound up with a very

hearty expression of good feeling and

gratitude towards the douers. The cup is

a handsome chased silver one, bearing the

future, also imbibed a generous quantum

COMPRADORE'S CLAIM.

goods sold by or through plaintiff, Ku A

A claim of \$889.47 for commission or

defendant Henrique Cruz, came before

Mr H. H. J. Gompertz, Acting Puisne

amount claimed also included one month's

sulary in lieu of notice, interest on monies

advanced and cash advanced to defendant.

A counter claim of \$1,000 was also put

Mr Dixon said that his friend Mr Morre

PLAGUE IN HONGKONG.

(From Our Correspondent.)

On the recommendation of the Tung

Wah Hospital of Hongkong, the Charitable

Institutions here have resolved at a meet

ing held yesterday that a special launch

shall be hired to bring back to Canton

Chinese who are infected with plague.

The launch is to leave Hongkong every

the resolution and is now arranging for s

permit from the British Consulate at

Canton. This step is looked upon with

The Fong Bin Sho here is doing good

ing with it unless you want to

Stearns, Headacho Cure will drive it away.

Easy to take, easy to buy

CYUCH A HEADACHE !- No need of suffer

The Vicercy has been duly informed of

CANTON, May 24.

hortage in some bags of sugar.

Evidence was then called.

of a sparkling beverage.

Major Macdonald, R.A.M.C.,

due to Mr K. J. MacGregor who placed

According to a Tokyo despatch to the "Mainichi," it is said in some quarters that Count Hayashi will be appointed a member of the Privy Councils and that There is a report that Prince Su, th

Formosan aborigines, sea as well as at London, land operations having been decided upon of Sergeant George Willhond, late of the "We venture to think that there is too much public talk about the country's King's Royal Rifles. He was a member of

cannot be spared. There can be no equipped at Kure for service against the of as a likely successor to Count Komura

fought in the Indian Mutiny and the The question is being rai ed in Japan sergeant after twenty-one years' servicewhether the Oriental Timber Co, or the Mr Willhond, who had medals for the

A Tokyo message to the "Kobe Empire Day Mr and Mrs Pietcy of the though he might be strongly opposed to Shimbun" states that a disastrous fire occurred at the hot spring at Kusaisu,

> a.m., the second at 5.29 a.m. and the third at 5,57 a.m. The directions were all between west and east.

the School for the day. Excellency Sir Frederick Lugard at Government House on Wednesday evening. The following guests have accepted invitato pay a fine of \$2. tions :- Rev., Mrs and Miss Bone, Major

risk be taken? With the utmost re-The Governor of Chakiang, Fang Juspect and diffidence we suggest that it

kuei, has-reported to the Peking Govern-

reclamation there. His duty was to un-

wrecks in the Shimonoscki Straits and the work of clearing them will shortly be commenced by contractors and will be com-

The cost of repair to the telegraph and telephone wires in Tokyo city which were broken down by the snow-storm on the Yen 6 0,000. The Minister of Communica tions applied to the Minister of Finance on the 14th instant for the appropriation of the sum out of the second reserve fund.

are from Shanghai, where a native boycott has been instituted, and that they will

The Chinese Ministry of Posts and Judge, at the Supreme Court to day. The

in for salary to the Chinese staff paid by H. Cruz, and costs in a legal action. vans despatched from Chyong-an, North Mr Morrell represented H. Cruz. on the morning of the 9th instant were One of the cavalrymen who were escorting succeeded in carrying away all the mail

shemists and storekeepers

THE MERRY BRIGAND.

A BRUSH NEAR MACAO.

(From a Correspondent.)

MACAO, May 25, Panie-mongers on the prowl for anything that sayours of the sensational have magnified into the dimensions of an inva-Count Komura, at present Japanese Am- sion fraught with blood-curdling surprises bassador at London, will return to his an incident which, though tragic in certain old position of Foreign Minister. Mr details, turns out to be one of no very extraordinary import in spite of dark surmises that have been floating about as to some underlying subtle designs on the part of Chinese officialdom. So much for idle

On the 19th inst, the Chinese gunboat Kwang Po " conveyed here three native dignitaries from Canton, the bearers of a written message to the Colonial Secretary General, to the effect that a brigand who was caught redhanded in Kongmoon had confessed to having belonged to a gang of freebooters which was infesting the Houngshon districts and whose periodic forays kept the police on a continual qui vive and Japanese authorities should be responsible Indian Mutiny campaign and for China, the population on tenterhooks. The message went on to say that three days previously the said gaing had raided a house in the Taking advantage of the holiday on environs of the West River and kidnapped a merchant by the name of Wong Ping Sin Diocesan School arranged a highly success, whom they were detaining ponding a ful launch picnic for those boarders who proposed masom of \$2000. The spot where the man was confined was known to the brigand who had turned King's. noon was spent at Sai Wan Bay, where

> On learning that the locality, in which the victim was in duress stood on the territory of Coleman under Portuguese jurisdiction, the officials determined on acquainting the respective authorities here with the case and subsequently requested the launch "Kowloon" at the disposal of that a body of men be despatched to the release of the detained. The-brigand was consequently handed over to cicoron, the authorities at this end. The details of the affair having been carofully sifted. the Progurador for Chinese Affairs, Dr Carlos Leitac, in company with the Head of the same Department, Mr C. A. R. d'Assumpção, proceeded to the island Tuipa, where the officer in command of the troops quartered at that point was verbally posted as to their errand and enjoined immediate measures to effect the end in

Led by the brigand, the commanding officer with the party from Macao escorted by a force of seven men from Mahratta corps and three native detectives set out in the direction of the premises where the merchant was presumably detained. As they rounded a byway, the brigand lifted his manacled wrists and pointing to a tumble-I. R. M. Smith, Mr J. R. Wood, Major down cot, said : "That is the house." A and Mrs Watling. The following are shower of bullets from the hidden inmates followed close on his words and one of the native detectives who was well to the fore. had barely time to warm the others behind him that they were outmanned with no-An interesting little event took place other alternative but a quick round about

Maritime Customs, when Captain T. E. mass. The gallant little band, however, held their own with a will until their empty cartridge-boxes brought home to them the fact that nolens whens, safety lay in instant"

token of their esteem for an old and valued retreat The freebooters meanwhile, had been dislodged from their jerry-built stronghold and were well beyond hailing distance when their assailants came to the end of mourous vein responded, saying that for their tether. They are reported to have lost two men among several wounded, but the lockout for a crowd following him the fact is lost in conjecture as the with silver cups, but until the present wounded, the dying or the dead were moment he had not been the fortunate removed and there was naught but the possessor of one. Continuing he quoted suggestion prompted by a law tiny pools of

blood on the premises. Two of the Mahrattas were seriously injured and, at writing, one of them is

nigh beyond recall. In the wee hours of the 21st inst. emblems of the service, "The Chinese Double Dragon," and suitably inscribed. It is needless to add that the cup was contingent of about 180 men under the command of Captain Menezos, our worthy Chief of Staff, crossed over to the late filled and the happy participants of the presentation, in wishing prosperity for the scene of action and search parties scoured the island returning no wiser than they had gone. The desperadoes had, no doubt, thought it safer to give the neighbourhood. a wide berth for the present. A quantity of arms and ammunition was traced to the safe keeping of several pawnshops and these, a consensus of opinion suggests

Him, while he was compradore to the that the Government should withhold. The gunboat "Rio Lima" had steamed out of harbour the moment intelligence arrived that matters were freshening and she is still moored near the island of Colewan pending possible contingencies.

The detective Chan Ali Kwan who succurehed was an old and very valued member of the force. Ex-chief of the native agency he had effected many a note-worthy arrest in his dayand had come off un-. Mr Dixon appeared for Ku A. Him while scathed from not a few hand to hand enounters with desperate ruffigus. To his sagaadmitted two of the items and plaintiff was willing to pay all that he was liable for cious efforts and daring was due the capture with regard to the Chinese staff. The of the notorious pirate chief Lam Kwa Si, counter claim had not been put in until some three years back. He leaves a widow after defendant had been served with the and several children who are said to be in writ, and part of the claim was for alleged dire straits and it is earnestly hoped that by defraying his funeral expenses the Government has just given the first step to mark its full sense of the valuable services rendered by the deceased, to be followed. by the grant of a substantial life-pension

to the hereaved family.

A visit of condolence to the widow from the three officials from Canton, tells of the high regard which their own indebtedness links them to the memory of the departed: Dr Leitae and Mr Assumpçae had both a very near shave and the many friends of the latter gentleman in Hongkong and at Shanghai will be gratified to learn that he is none the worse to day for his close

brush with the grim monster. The three aforesaid dignitaries from Canton called at Government House yes. terday afternoon to tender their thanks to. His Excelledoy the Officer administoring the Government for the prompt assistance he had so graciously extended to them.
I may mention by the way, that the Chinese Government could do little worse than overlook the worth of the efficient helping hand which our Government has ever and anon lent them to sweep from the infested regions of Southern China that bugbeer of both trader and traveller the reckless freebooter.

AIR-SHIP ACCIDENT.

COLLAPSES IN MID-AIR.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter,

Sixteen Persons Injured

via Bombay.) London, May 25.

A telegram from Oakland, California states that during the trial trip of th "Morrell" airship the largest airship in the world, being 450 feet long and propelled by five motors-a sensational accident occurred.

When at a beight of 300 feet the airship collapsed and fell to the ground Sixteen of the occupants were seriously

JAPAN'S COTTON TRADE.

BOUNTIES FOR EXPORTS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Toxyo, May 25. The Japanese Cotton Spinning Union has resolved to give hounties to the extent of seventy five sen per bale upon yarn exported to non-Chinese countries. Hongkong is classed as a non-Chinese

CONSULAR APPOINT-MENTS.

FOR SOUTH AFRICA AND NEW

(Chinese Muil's Service.)

ZEALAND.

PEKING, May 25. The Waiwupu has appointed Liang Lan Fan as Chinese Consul-General for South Africa, and Wong Sha Liang as Consul-General for New Zealand.

CRUSADE.

(Chinese Must's Service.) PEKING, May 25.

An Imperial Edict has been issued Ichang. dismissing In Po Ching, President of the Board of Censors, his inability to give up opium smoking within the time limit allowed him.

> BEUTER'S SERVICE. RUSSIAN MINISTER TO PERING.

Dospos, May 24. M. Korostoves has been appointed Russian Minister to Peking.

THE UNITED STATES MAIL SUBSIDIES. -

LONDON, May 24. The House of Representatives has rejected the report of the Conference on mail subsidies. The speakers threatened an indefinite prolongation of the session rather than yield to the Senate, which had secured the support of the conference to the subsidies.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

LONDON, May 24. M. Takahira, who was the chief speaker at a Peace Conference at Mohawk, New York, defended the action of Japan in Kores and Manchuris, and declared that Japan would charged with killing the "gods." On 23rd live up to her ideals of peace. .

THE HARDEN TRIAL

London, May 24. The Leipzic Court of Appeal has quashed the sentence on Herr Harden and ordered-a retrial, the appeallant having evoked as a new factor the arrest of Prince Eulenberg for perjury, whose testimony induced the first finding.

THE GERMAN BURGOMAS-TERS IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 24,

thanked the King and hoped an ex- through. It is heard that the 'Drawing change of visits would strengthen the college is going to sketch 10 odd maps for relations of the two countries.

A NEW INSURANCE CO.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, May 25, A prospectus for the formation of an lafter every section. Insurance Company is out. The capital of the Company is \$2,000,000 to be divided ! into 40,000 shares of \$50 each. scheme has been formulated by the Chinese | neighbours knew it and at once went to Commercial Chamber. The shares are to be the top of the house throwing so many underwritten by the members of the water pitchers at it. The fire then went

HAVE YOU RHEUMATISM?

TE so, apply Chemberlain's Pala Balm. sil chemists and storekeepers.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA

THE TSAR'S CLEMENCY

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bomban)

LUNDON, May 25.

The Tear has granted Persia an extension of the time in which the Persian raiders who violated the Russian frontier were to be punished until tune 23, on, the condition that all the demands made by Russia be satisfied full and without demur.

YUAN SHIH KAIS DAUGHTER.

HER MARRIAGE.

(Chinese Meril's Service.) Paking, May 25. The marriage of Yuan Shih-Kai's daughter has been left to the decision of the Empress Downger.

YUNNAN RIOT MORE MONEY WANTED.

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

PEKING, May 25. Memorialising the Throne on behalf of the Governor of Yannan, the Board of Revenue has stated that the financial position in the province does not permit of an extensive expedition. The Board requests that permission be granted for the following appropriations to remitted to Yunnan without delay: Taels 60,000 from the Customs

hinking. Taels 60,000 from the Customs at

Taels 40,000 from the Customs at Kinking. Taels 40,000 from the Customs Taels 30,000 from the Customs

Sik Liang wires that General Pak has been operating in the direction Hokow for eight days and nights. The their own positions. The Governor further reports the arrival of an army from Kweilin. The re-inforcements are concentrating. The same despatch Leung has been captured by Lung Yu

POSITIONS RECAPTURED.

Kwong's regiment:

(Fram One Correspondent.)

CANTON, May 25. Reports have reached the Vicercy that several positions near Hokow, which fell into the hands of the rebels, were recaptured by the Imperialists yesterday. Many rebels were killed.

KILLING THE "GODS." Three "Murderers" Arrested.

(From .Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, May 25. Three youngs ers were arrested here several gods in Chiu Kun street were seen to have had their heads struck off. The discoverers raised the alarm and enquiries elicited the information that the gods had been "murdored" by three youngsters. The consequence was that the lads were arrested. Whether they will be hanged for god-slaughter or not remains to be seen.

NAIVE NEWS.

dent. Verb. et lit.)

CANTON, May 22. When the Kwangtung volunteer prac-Palace. His Majesty speaking in Ger- which spreads several lis, situates so many Cinematograph a visit. man expressed his pleasure in welcoming buildings, constructs narrow streets, if they ha'nt got a clear map showing every The Burgomaster of Munich in reply section, it is very difficult for them to look their use drawing clearly how many dwellings in what street, how many lis from there on the maps which are used for each of previous exhibitions. soldiers. They will accord to the regulations of the Policemen and send to look

> Last night at 11 o'clock in Chok-wansha at Tungkun a certain house carelessly caught fire at kitchen. Fortunately the bad; to a dim way and has't spreaded on both

TATORTH REMEMBERING. -There are not famous for its cures of coughs of this na. It will be the highest house on the Island. It stops the cough. Remember that. 11 storekeepers.

THE SHATIN TRIPLE MURDER.

The Hon Mr Rees Davies, K.C., Attorney General, closed the case for the Crown at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Shatin triple nurder trial, which has reached its fourth day of hearing at the Supreme Court. before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, and jury.

The Hon Dr Ho Kai, counsel for the defence, proceeded to address the Court on behalf of the prisoners.

.He submitted that the case put before them by the prosecution was not convincing and unsatisfactory. In criminal cases of that sort it was the bounden duty of the prosecution to prove their case beyond the shadow of a doubt. Their case was full of probabilities and he might also say full f EMPRESS DOWAGER DECIDES the provious day. No one had given Lungkong on 27th. evidence against the third prisoner except | Japanese mushrooms, which were quoted the accomplice and that was unreliable. Evidence was then called for the defence.

PLAGUE AT HOK UN HOK.

At the Sanitary Board meeting this greatest in days before the boycott. afternoon, plague was reported to have broken out at Hok Un Hok.

On May 22 Dr Macfarlane, Assistant M. O. H. wrote to the Principal Civil Medical Officer on this subject, as follows :- Thir- the demand. teen cases of plague have occurred at the small village of Hok Un Koki between April 7 and May 24. This is a hirge numher in projection to the number of inhabitants, and to the total for Kowloon, The villagers of Hok Un Hok work largely in the cement works, shipbuilding yard and docks. They have every opportunity of spreading the infection of fleas, and are probably responsible for some of the 21 eases in Hunghom, as Hunghom itself is clear, and has never much plague.

Most of the houses are quite unsuitable for occupation and do not lend themselves to proper cleansing. Nearly all are illegal under the Ordinance. Last year it was Kowloon City which supplied the early forms of plague, this year it is Hok Un Kok and Sam Shui Po.

do not see how plague is ever to be controlled in Kowloon something is done to these places. I consider that certain houses are unfit for in port a week. habitation and that steps should be taken to close others later. Windows practically do not exist and consequently most of the elsewhere still goes on, and new friends houses are very dark inside. Overcrowding probably exists in many of them from their appearance. Except for these villages, plague has not started in Kowloon properly yet, and there is some ground for thinking of the Lights Department of the Customs that it would not be so severe in the regular tenement houses if it was not Imperialists and rebels are still holding allowed to thoroughly establish itself in

nicated to the Director of Public Work as follows : - I have inspected these house with Dr Macfarlane and they are undoubtedly not fit for human babitation. states that another rebel leader named The difficulty is to find some houses to accommodate the people. Would it be possible for us to have the mate factory at Hunghom for this purpose? If so, please let me have the key so that it, can be measured up, so as to ascertain how many can be accommodated...

> The Hon. Mr Chatham replied ? Th match factory is at your disposal. As the keys could not be obtained last evening. 23, I informed Dr Macfarlane that -could have the door-forced open-

MORTALITY STATISTICS.

The mortality statistics for the weel onding May 9 are, for the whole British and Foreign community, 35.6 per 1,000 as against 24.6 per 1,000 in the corres ponding week of last year. In the Chinese Community the figures are 30.9 per 1,000 as against 2.16 last year. The figures for he week ending May 2 are, British and Foreign community 3.9 per 1,000 as against 20.5 last year, Chinese community 23 per 1,000 as against 19.4 per 1,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Hongkong Cinematograph.

New songs by Miss Beryl Lytton and new films are announced at the Hongkong Cinematograph, opposite the Central (From Our "Extra" Special Correspon- Market. One of the films now being has yet been arrived at. shown is that of an eruption at Vesuvius and realistic views of the scenes in the streets of Naples after the eruption are The German Burgomasters have been tised up the soldiers would be sent to look shown. Those who have not yet seen this Straits. The rate for passenger was 87. after the outside and inside of the city picture might well pay the Hongkong

The Victoria Cinematograph.

At the Victoria Cinematograph new artists are announced. Messrs Cavajal, Harris and Ray will appear this evening until further notice. The films to be place to place, and any Yamen of Bureau shown to-night are well up to the standard

> It is a favourite practice for person out that no one in India has any religion except the natives. - "Pioneer." Allaha

LINGERING COUGHS

through the spring and nummer usually indicate some throat or long tronblo, and it is a serious mistake to neglect them. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is opposite to the German Consul's Residence

THE BOYCOTT.

(From Our Correspondent.) ___CANTON, May 25. Quietly and smoothly the members of the Salf-Government Society and the National Disgrace Association are still working to maintain the boycott here and in the

Instead of agitating to keep up the movement they have caused a list to be made out containing the names of firms that have been fined for breach of agreeprivate communication. A list of names | pionship of the 3rd Middlesex inter also appears in the premises of the Company competition.

National Disgrace meetings are still being of impossibilities. He would call evidence held in the remote parts of t'e province. to say where the first two prisoners were On the 21st, a meeting was held at Tamkini, on Doc 2, the day on which the murder one of the West River ports; on the 22nd was supposed to have been committed, a similar meeting took place in Chat Po and also with regard to their movements and Taichak, another one will be held at

> before the boycott at \$120 per picul now down to \$57 without buyers. Dried skrimps, awabys, and shell-fish fell considerably owing to no demands from Chinese Hotels where the demand was the

Marine products from Kowloon find very good market here. Quotations have quantity is obtainable in Kowloon to meet

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AMOY NEWS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

NAVAL NEWS,

AMOY, May 22. The U. S. A. "Wilmington" left here on Wednesday for Hongkong after being

CHANGES. . The departure of people for Home an are arriving to take their place.

Mr and Mrs Nielsen travel by the S. S. Irene to-day to Shanghai, on route for Siberia. Mr Nielsen has been in charge for some time. He goes home on four months leave only. Mr Gramger, Chief Examiner of the Customs here, left with his wife and collectin for Shanghai few The President, Dr J. M. Atkinson com days ago. Mr Grainger has had ill health some weeks, and took a serious turn for the worse at the beginning of the week. necessitating his immediate departure for

> His place has been taken by Mr Kahler, who has just returned from leave. Mr Graham arrived this week from Hongkong | passing. to relieve some one, but news has not yet been received as to who it will be.

the North

Miss Ovenden of the London Mission has been suffering from ill health for som months and has now been ordered home and leaves in a fortnight's time. It' rumoured that the Japanese Consul here is to be transferred to Canton, the present Consul there having been-recalled. TELEPHONES.

A Telephone Company-has been formed here, called the Amoy Telephone Co, with Chinese at the head. Poles are now up all along the Bund of the British Concession, and all is expected to be in working order shortly. There is not very much enthusiasm among Chinese about the iffatter, but most of the Foreign Hongs will use it. It will be a blessing in many ways, and will save the eternal chit writing which is the bane and burden of life here. It has been suggested, that Amoy and Kulangsu might be linked up, and direct communication be established. But the Chineso are at present against the project, as they think the laying of a cable under the harbour may bring ill luck on the place. The Telephone Co., on Kulangsu, run by Japanese, which has been in existence some time now, is not doing very well, and is seldom used. A scheme for lighting the Island with electricity still being considered, but nothing definit

The S.S. "Hong Bee" left yesterday with 1100 passengers for Swatow and the The Japanese S.S. "Shibata Mara" arrived in port this morning from Chefoo with a large cargo of Beancake for Japanese.

Work on the new Custom House build ing is going on space, and the walls are now going up. The building is to be three storied, and has thus necessitated a very strong and firm foundation, over which a lot of trouble has been taken.

The new Municipal Council building on Kulangau is now all but completed who have enjoyed Angle-Indian hospitality it is hoped will be ready for use at the in the cold weather to go home and give it beginning of next month. Several other Foreign houses are being erected. Mr Anderson of the E. P. Mission is build. the order and Clarke was called upon to ing on ground immediately behind the Anglo Chinese College premises. TERSISTENT coughe that continue London Mission have also started a new house, on a magnificent position facing missed chance after chance to score. They It has cured others and there is no VV nearly so many people coughing tone and a few doses taken in time may and will get every wind there is in summer, and the finish of the game left the "O. reason why it should not ours you. One now as there were before Steams' Wine save a doctor's bill and perhaps years of while it will be guarded from the North application relieves the paint. For sale by Cod Liver Oil was placed on the market. For sale by all chemiets and East in the winter, by a mass of rock

SPORTING.

Football.

INTER-COMPANY MATCH. Although the weather was very he esterday afternoon for football, it

fortunate that the sun was hidden behind the clouds, which made it more comfortable than it otherwise would have been, at Happy Valley, when a team representing "C" Company of the Middlesex Regiment lined out as opponents to an eleven rements, and these firms' names are made presenting "G" Company of the same known to the community by means of Regiment, in the struggle for the Cham-

Those who had watched the progress

the two teams during the sensor were somewhat sceptical as to which team would ultimately secure the premier position, yet a small majority were in favour of the "C" Company team. They were confident that Warren would fully maintain his reputation at right-full back. while on the other side, Bandsman Orell, and Quarter-Master Sgt. English were formidable opponents as left inside outside forwards respectively. Colour-Sergt. Clarke as keeper of the goal for the "C," eleven played a magnificent game. and his coolness and promptitude in such an exacting position was ably demonstrated in a brilliant save during the second half of the game. The ball, from a kick near multiplied threefold. It is a pity no large the corner on his left was apparently going beyond the goal mouth, but it unexpectedly took a sudden turn and grazed the cross-bar, bounding to the ground immediately in the centre of the goal mouth. Orell saw his opportunity and "I didn't know I wasn't allowed on was in the ast of availing himself of moord. Nobady told me to go. I had a it when Clarke dexterously caught the friend coming up from Singapore, and I ball and flung it with both hands, high wanted to go and meet him," said a up in the air. The performance was really defendant, a boarding house runner, this remarkable and well merited the applause morning at the Marine Court when the it evoked. Warren played a rattling game Hon. Commander Basil Taylor, R.N., fined while he was materially assisted by his him \$25 or two months' hard labour for partners Lance-Corpl Payne. Carmady, boarding the s.s. Fook Sang without Cutter and Brooks were a trio at half-back that was difficult to out manouvre, Lance Corpl. Cutler being very effective with either fnot. Willis as centre forward had plenty of dash but the front rank generally were

a trifle lacking in stability, Harris being about the best of the remaining forwards. Saunders in goal made a very poor show for the "G" eleven. On six occasions he ran out to intercept the ball when there was absolutely no need for him to do so, and only on one of these occasions were his efforts of any mate inl advantage. Even then the results obtained were insufficient

to justify him in leaving his goal for such a distance. The goalkeeping was undoubtedly the weak spot in the "G" team, and taking the play as a whole, a draw of two goals each would have been a better representation of it than was the final score of 3 to 1 in favour of the " (team. 'Perkins and Miles were frequently called upon to keep their citadel imprognable while Sullivan was about the best of the half backs. Flatt, as centre forward was not often conspicious for any brilliant play, while a good deal of the attack was left to Orell and English Jennings, on the opposite wing, worked

very well but was sometimes weak in

The towns lined out as follows :-" C," TEAM Goal, Col. Sgt. Clarke backs, Pt. Warren and Lanc Corpl. Payne half-backs, Carmady, Lanc. Corpl. Culter, and Drummer Brooks; forwards, Lyons, Harris, Lanc. Corpl. Willis (centre), Bands man Rolfe and Pt. Gale.

"G." Team. Goal, Saunders; backs, Miles, Lane. Corpl. Perkins; half-backs, Sullivan, Lanc. Corpl's Rolfe and Gee forwards, Corpl. Jennings, Sgt. Doutliet Flatt, (contre), Bandsman Orell an Quarter Muster Sergt. English.

Right from the commencement the game was a fast one. That kicked off and the travelled to Cutler who passed to Harris when the ball was nicely placed o the left wing of "C" eleven and before the game had been a minute old Rolfe - for "C" team-bad sent the ball into the net with a fine low down shot. This achieve ment naturally pleased their supporters but the ball was quickly worked down the field, when Orell ran it straight into the goal giving Clarke no chance to save.-This all bappened in the space of two minutes and it made the spectators inbilant. Payno and Warren now had great deal of pressure put upon them but they managed to manipulate the ball so that their front-rank comrades were able to assume the aggressive. corner accrued and Gale contred splondidly but Saunders was fortunate in punchin the leather out just in time. Play wa now transferred to their opponents quarters and some next passing was the result. The "C" cleven, however, did

not allow the ball to get near their goal and they soon had it back to its former position and from another corner Willis gave them the lead 2-1. For long time the play was of a very even character, neither side having the advantage, and when half time arrived the score stood at 2 to 1 in favour of the

Still, after the change of ends it was uncertain which team would eventually run out winners, until Willis about ten minutes afterwards put all doubts at rest, for by an individual effort he gently worked the ball so that it easily went past Son. Saunders. 3-1. High kicking was then cave in the manner described above. Oroll to morrow. and English had some fine openings but their partners were weak in shooting, and were favoured with most of the play and really ought to have done much botter than they did. No further scoring took place team the victors to the tune of three goals

COMMERCIAL.

The dollar stands to-day at 1/9%, a fa of three sixteenths.

Messrs E. S. Kadoorie and Co., inform us that they are in receipt of telegraphic advises from Singapore informing them that the crushing of the Raub Australian Gold Mining Co. Ltd. for the past four weeks yielded 921 ozs gold from 5480 tons stone, and cyanide 101 ozs.

The Chinese market report of yesterday has the following: One thousand six hundred and sixty bales of rice, No. 1. quality, were sold by the Yuen Fat Hong at \$4 95, one thousand piculs of the same quality changed hands at \$4.86, the Hop Hing firm being the seller; and si hundred piculs of ordinary quality were sold at \$4.60 per picul. One hundred and fifty bales of yarn were put through at prices ranging from \$97 to \$99. Opium was quoted by the natives at \$1195 and

With only 30 per cent of gatherings in the first silk crop it was expected that much better prospects would have attended the second crop, which for a time promised every success. Quite unexpectedly, however, the north easterly winds have reduced the crop to only 50 per cent. As the result of this information a rush was made during the past week for old stocks. Some two thousand bales changed hands on the 20th and 21st. All were foreign orders.

Seven Japanese tourists who stock cotton and crain, and act as brokers in Japan, visited Wall-street, New York, on 21st inst., and called at the various exchanges. The object of their vist is to investigate business methods here, and it caused a good deal of comment.

According to information which has reached a prominent City quarter says a Birmingham paper, the negotiations which have for some time been in progress for the amalgamation of a number of German banking and industrial enterprises angaged in China and other parts of the Far East for the purpose of increasing their effectiveness in competition with British and American undertakings have fallen through. There is the keener disappointment in both official and commercial quarters in Borlin at this result, as it is foreseen that of the enterprises concerned must withdraw from the scene of operations, with consequent loss of German prestige.

A NEW INVENTION.

(From Our (orr spondent.)

CANTON, May 25. The Kwong Fook firm has approached the authorities for a patent right for the production of a fan. A specimen has been days. On the 23rd of April practically the Industry. The inventor claims that it challenges all fans in existence where no electricity is procurable. The fan may be fixed an where and be worked by the hand at a distance. An experiment wil be made in the official departments when patent will be granted. ."

MACAO.

.The departure of Senhor d'Azovedo Coutinho from Macao brought to a close ar admirable phase of human endeavour in the interests of the colony, but the spirit of altruism which was the mainspring of his every move still breathes in the policy of his successor ad interim H. E. Th Officer Administering the Government Captain F. Diogo de Sa. The reassuring status quo comes as a solace after the recent shattering of our fond expectations and, I may safely add that hope is rife on the effectual appointment of the distinguished locum 'tenens. That the governance of this little "gem of the Orient Sens? is far from being a sinecure in the actual flow of the tide is obvious to all those who have watched the drift of events for some time back. How long is the tenneious ignorance of the people at home on Eastern conditions, which was so emphasized in the case o the ex-Governor, let alone graver draw, backs; to prolong its tantalizing role of marplot to thwart every highsouled and ingenious scheme to prop this tottering Colony? Time along can tell. Aye, there's the rub! The home government is unwittingly putting the noose around its own neck and when at long last its eyes do open to the truth it might then put on many an extra sport and rouse up sprinting with a vengeance, but as things will

In the race of nations what is the fate o the laggard? The prchibitory ordinance relative to the importation and expertation of arms and munitions of war has been gazetted and embodies most stringent injunctions anont

have come to pass by that time-cui bono

the enforcement of same. An additional grant of \$8000 has been allowed the Public Works Department and the disposal of same to the following effect has been duly sanctioned: Public buildings and Fortresses, \$3500.; Highways, For cost of construction upkeep and repairs,

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 26th at 11.35 a .- The barometer has risen moderately in Japan, and faller moderately to slightly over 8. China and the Philippines respectively. The depression over the China Sea has probably become deeper. It appears to be situated to the Eastward of the Paracels and to be almost stationary.

the Formosa Channel and strong N.E. and E. winds over the N. part of the China Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours endng at 10 a.m. to-day. 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

Pressure is high over Japan. It remain

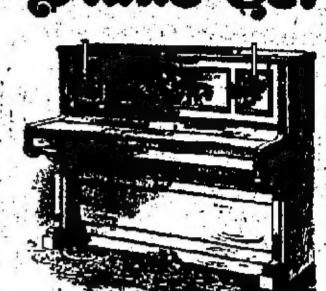
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low over N. China.

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> Prince Ching has asked her Majesty the Empress-Dowager to treat I Ko leniently as he repents his crime very much and her Majesty has ordered the Board of Justice to take note!

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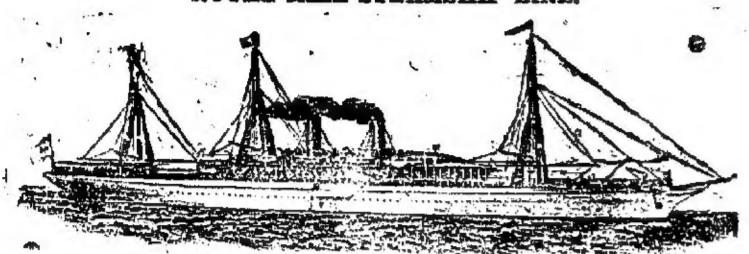
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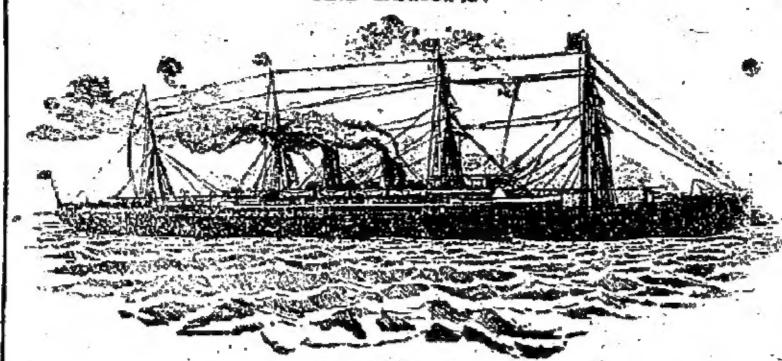
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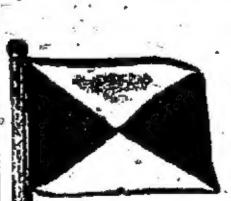
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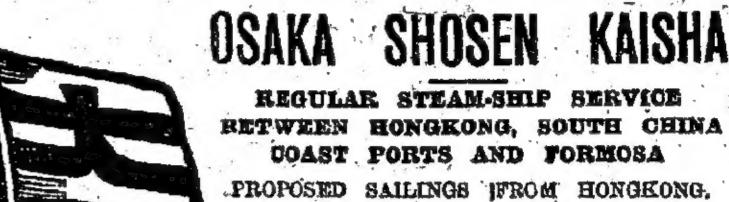
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V. J. ABBUTT, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, May 22, 1908.

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Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, May 22, 1908.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE FOR AND AGAINST.

" A Woman's Plea Against Woman Suffrage is the title of a paper in the Ninefcenth Century and After, from the pen of Mrs John Massic, who nurshals the usual arguments skilfully. denying that the interests of women save been neglected under man-made egislation, and asserting that woman sufferage has not succeeded in raising omen's wages in the colonies, where women have the franchise. The writer "What would be the condition of the country in a crisis of its fate if its policy were swayed to and fro by the gusts of feminine emotion?' She protests also that home-life would suffer, and she quotes Bullock's Brains .- , Slow Mr Gladstone as writing in 1892-" There has never within my knowledge been a case in which the franchise has been extended to a large body of persons generally indifferent about receiving it. But here. addition to a wide-pread indifference. there is, on the part of large numbers of women, who have considered the matter for themselves the most positive objection and strong disapprobation."

On the other side Miss Gladys Jones returns to the charge with great vigor in the "Westminster Review," asserting that the great hope of England is centred in the women, and protesting strongly against "the sacred bugbear which we unke of family life." This writer uses language which might very suitably be incorporated in a speech of Sudermann's Magda. She represents in fact precisely the same point of view. "So long as man is credited with a political and national value denied to the other sex so long musthe usually exact, even if unconsciously. the rights of a petty tyrant. For the series of man's superlative value has green into the national thought. He is not conscious of the fact that law and custom are not necessarily justice. He forgets quite naturally that his wife is a he keeps her for his comfort and pleasure : he forgets that his daughters, are ethically neither for his amusement or unpaid attendance, but have received from him unaskremaining undelivered after the 25th inst., ingly the vitel spark which given may not be claimed again and with it have acquired the burden of personal responsibility." Miss Jones is passionate-but she is not very practical. However, she makes one very remarkable suggestion, namely, 'a revolu-tion of the whole sex," which she considers 'might work wonders and place the enemy in something of a quandary." She would have women compel men to grant them the franchise by the expedient of denying to men en masse the privilege of paternity until the boon was granted! ...

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Pomiret, Black, -Hak Chox

Pomiret, White, Pak Chor

Rock Fish -Bok Kan Kung

Pawns,-Ming Ba ...

Mullet - Chal Yu

Plaine, -Pan Yu

Ray .- Pel Pa Ba

Hallbut,-Ohoung Kwan Kup

Rela, Congor, - Hai Mann -

Fresh water, Tam Sin Ya

Crabe,-Hal ...

Jeest,-Ngol

MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from HAVBE ex s.s. Charente ; from Bordeaux ex Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai 8.8. Ville de-Bordeaux, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informa-Ducks,-Ar PENANG are requested to take DIMEDIATE of that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks | Eggs, Hen-Kai Tau. dons Godowns of the Honosone & Kow- Fowls, Canton, -- Kat into the hazardons and/or extra hazar-MANY WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-Optional Cargo will be forwarded on

ignees before Noon, To-DAY, requesting | Musk Deer, - Wong Kung the Undersigned, and Goods remaining Partridge,—Che Kau-

anding charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 1st June, or they will not be All damaged packages will be examined on MONDAY, the lat June, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. P. NALIN.

Acling Agent. Hongkong, May 25, 1908. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY.

FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

remaining undelivered after the 26th of MHE Company's Steamship China having Barbel.-Ka Yu arrived; Consignees of Uargo are hereby informed that Goods will be landed Godowns of the Hongkong AND Kowloon -Carp,-Li Yu WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LAD., whence

No Olaims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 30th May, 1908, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected,

and any Goods remaining in the Godowns Dace, - Wong Mel Lun after the 30th May, 1908, will be subject Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in Frach, -Wu Yu formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardona Godowna of Mackerel, -Chi 1 the HONGKONG and Kowloon WHART and Gobows Co., Lnurren, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.
No Clame will be admitted after the

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th inst., at 11 a.m.

Hongkong, May 23, 1908.

Apples, (California)—Kam San Ping (Chefoo) Tin Chun Ping Khor., Small,-Hoi Tong ... Custard,-Fan Lai Chi ... Bananas, fragrant, Canton,-San Shing Houng Chiu Bananas, (brides), Macao—San Henng Chiu Chestnuts, Chinese, - Foong Lut Carambola, -Young Tuo Coccennite - Yeh Tsz... Lamons, China-Ning Moong America-Kum San Ning Moun. Liches Dried-Lai Chi Small Stone Fresh-Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Knng Ning Moong ... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong Mangosteens,—San Chuk Tes ... per 100 \$4.10 Oranges, (Canton) - San Shing Tim Chang 1b Oranges Sweet Pears, (American),—Kam San Shue Li .. (Canton); Cooking, -Sa Li Peanuts,-Fa Sang ... Persima us Large, -Hung Chie ... Pine apples, 1st quality, Sheung Poon Ti ... 2nd cooking-Ohung-tang-paw-law Plantains,-Tai Chau Plums Swatow Hung Lales Pumelo, Siam,-Ohim Lo Yan Shanghal.-Lo Kwat Walnuts,-Hop Tuo Green,-Sang Hop Too -Water Melon-(Am.) Kum San Sai Kwa a. . (Ohina) Sai Kwa Grape. - Sang Po Tai Tez ...

Balmon, -Me Yan

furtles, small, fresh water.—Kork

White Balt, -Ngan Yo' Chai

Shark.—Sa Yo

Shrimps,—Ha

Vegetables, &c

Artichokes, Shanghai - Sheung Hai Ab Beans, (French), Macao, -Oh Moon Pin To ... (French) Shanghai, Sheung Has Sprout, -Ah Choi ... Loug, Tan Kok ... Best Root,-Bung Chor Tsa

Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yuen Fes Red, -Hung Ker ... Cabbage, Chinese, com.-Kat Choy Cabbage Red .-- Hung Yea Choy ... Oabbage, (Shanghai),-Yeh Choi Cane Shoots, bunch,-Kau Shun ...

Turnipe, Panti, (Long),-Bow Pag Vegetable Marrow, - Chit Kwa

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Water Oresser, -Sai Yenng Obe

The prices necessarily wave from day to day and the habitary Board hallo power to compet stallholders to sell at the pross Secretary, Sanitary Prart.

紅梅鄉 Cauliflower, Large size, - Tal Yek Chol-ta Mediam size,—Cheung Yeh Cho -ta ... 中柯茶湖 .. Small size, -Sai Yeh Choi Fa --Carrots,-Kam Shun 4 Colory, Chinese, -Tong Kan Choi English,-Young Chilles Dried, -Con Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Fa 禾花律 Green,-Ching Lat Chin Corry Stuff, English, Ka Les Cho Liu ... 火雞公 Oncumbers.-Ching Kwa-Bitter Squash,-Fn Kwa Garlie,-Suen Tou ... Ginger, young, Son Tex Kenng old,-Le Keeng ... Horse Radieb, S'hal-Lik Kan Indian Corn, -Suk Mai Lettuce, -Young Sang Ohol-Water Chesnuts,-Ma Tai Mandarin,-Kwei Lum Ma Tal, Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho 4 1 Musk Melon-(Amr. Kan San Hong Kwa sao). Onlone, Bombay, -Yeung Chong Tau Green,-Sang Churg -Shanghal, -Sheung Hai Chung l'ac 上海起源 Papaw, let qual.-Tai Man Sau Kwa 2nd . Chung Farsley,-Kun Cho ... Green Peas,-Ching Tan Potatoe, Sweet,-Fan Shu Shanghal, Shaung Hai Shu Teal ... 上海暴力 Japan,-Yut Poor She Tsai 白蛤鱼 日本學月 American, Fa Ki 化學母行 Pumpkin,-Tong Kowa Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Teal

Rhubarb (Fresh)-Tal Wong Shalota, -- Con Chung Tau Spinach. - Yin Chol Tomatoes, -Fan Ker 性的 学班 连延 Taros, -Wu Tan English, -Young Low Par 103 (Am.)-Kum San Chit Fwa 构体

DATE OF TRAVENCE

To-day's Advertisements To-day's Advertisements

EMPIRE DAY CONCERT SATURDAY NEXT, SATURDAY, MAY SOTH.

. \$3; -\$2 (Reserved also); and \$1.00. (All in uniform Half-Price). Mr A. N. CLOTHIER (Bass); Miss HELEN THORNE, ('ate Daly's and Gaiety). NATIONAL SUNGS AND DANCES.

SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT OF 13th RAJPUTS' BAND (By kind permission of the Officers). A 'SOUSA' MARCH CONDUCTED A LA SOUSA!

AMERICAN CAREWALKS AND MUSICAL NOVELTIES. ecompanier: Mr Brown (Messrs L ne, Crawford & Co. CONDUCTOR: Mr Coke, B.M. 13th Rajputs. Commences 9 P.M., 30th May. PLAN AT THE ROBINSON PIANO Co., LTD. Hongkong, May 26, 1908,

NOTICE.

UR Old Pilot and Runner KWOK Julin (郭連) who joined our Service the 18th May, 1908. His Shares in the Company (Wing Kee & Co.), value at \$500 (Five hundred dollars), have been taken up by us, and from hence. Hone. forth he shall have no connection whatever with our Company.

WING KEE & CO. COAL MERCHANTS, STEVEDORES, &c., Nus. 47, 48, 49, Counaught Road Central Hongkong, May 26, 1808.

LANDED. JUST

FRESH CONSIGNMENT

YORK FINEST CUT HAMS and BACON.

Wine & Spirit Merchants.

Hongkong, Fabruary 27, 1968.

THE AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL

FOR NEW YORK. (With liberty to call at MALABAR COAST)

THE Steamer OCEANO. Captain - will be despatched for the above purison or about THURSDAY,

the 25th June. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.,

Houghong, May 26, 1908. INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM UALOUTTA, PENANG AND Chine, for Singapore and Trieste. SINGAPORE.

HE Company's Steamship Fooksing Tonkin, for Shanghai. having arrived from the above Ports Antilochus, for Saigon. Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby, Aki Mara, for Keelung and Seattle. informed that their goods will be delivered Bornes, for Kudat. from alongside.

will he landed at Consignees' risk and Meefoo for Shenghai. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

- Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Sui Mou, for Canton. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD., General Managers. Hougkoug, May 26, 1908.

pg on board after 4 r.m., the 28th inst.,

TOYO KISEN KAISHA. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, JAPAN & MANILA.

MONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship | Cheongshing, for Canton. HONGKONG MARU. The above named Steamer having arrived, the Consiguees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside.

Cargo impeding discharge of the vessol will be discharged at once, at Consignees' risk and expense.

and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. DAY, June 2nd, 1908, will be subject to A. E. Barker, Miss A. R. Barker, Mr Ro-

S. SILVERSTONE. Hongkong, May 26, 1908.

BARBER' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE STEAMSHIP, SURUGA. FROM NEW YORK.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being C. B. Hayward, Mr. W. Newbold, Mr. S. landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Miss M. P. M. Henderson, Mrs E. L. GODOWN Co., Land, at Kowloon, whence and or from the Wharves delivery may be R. Madderne.

obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd proxice will be subject to rent. the 30th June, or they will not be re-

All Broken, Chaied, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong, May 26, 1968.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship Osptain Evans, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 29th May, at 11 s.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 26, 1908.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

Hongkong Maru, Japanese str., 3,447 E. Bent, San Francisco April 25, and Mapila May 23, Mails and General. -Toyo KISEN KAISHA.

Hitachi Maru, Japanese str., 4,163, F E. Cope, Shanghai May 22, General. Surgua, British steamer, 2,245, Chubb, New York April 6, General,-Dopwett &

and General - SIEMENEN & Co. Heim, Norwegian str., 758, A. Ericksen Bangkok May 17, Rice - YUEN FAT

Chi Yoga, Chinese steamer, 1.177, C. Stewart, Shanghai May 22, General,-C. M. S. N. Co.

Pheumpenh, British str., 1,069, J. H Scott, 3 igon May 20, Fish and Meal .-Winking, British steamer, 1,228, H. A

Unvell, Shanghai May 22, General.—Bur. PERMIELD & SWIRE. Pilsanulok, German steamer, 1,267, T. Heyenga, Bangkok May 15, Koh-si-chang

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Mathilds. German steamer, 851. A. F. Ulderup, Haiphong and Holhow May 24, Rice and General.-Jansen & Co. Fooksang, British str., 1,987, A. Mitchell.

Calcutta and Singapore May 19, General. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Drugar, Norwegian str., 1,102, J. Bing, Bangkok May 18. Rice and General,-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Courtfield. British steamer, 2,984, John Wiseman, Moji May 20, Coal.-M. B. K. Zapro, British str., 1,819. R. Rodger, Manila May 23. Sugar and Cigars.— SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

Lourd, German str., 1,237, Fr. Natzins, Borneo May 18, Coal, SANDLE, WILLER

Hopsang, British str., from Canton.

Marie, German str., 1,169, P. B. Chris. tiansen, Salina Cruz April 20, Ballast .-CHINA COMMERCIAL STRAMSHIP Co. Jacob Diederichsen, German atr., 623, A

lice .- JEBBEN & Co. Mercipi, Dutch str., 1,937, E. Uldall Singapore May 19, General.—Chindes. Gengsang, British atr., 1,350, S. Wilde Shanghai and Swatow May 25, General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Murtledene, British str., 1,620, Leighton, Moji May 20, Coal. - DODWELL & Co., LD " Cheongshing, British str., from Canton.

Skramstad, Norwagian s.s., from Canton. DEPARTURES.

May 20. Yarra, for Europe, &c.

Kaifang, for Amoy. Cargo impeding the discharge or remain. Taming for Manila. Lightning, for Singapore. ----

Singan, for Hoihow. Haitan, for Swatner. Kinking, for Canton, Anghin, for Swatow. Chiquen, for Canton.

Hangsang, for Canton.

CLEARED Fukushn Macu, for Swntow. Skromstad, for Saigon. Hitachi Maru, for Singapore and London. Springburn, for Kuchinotzu. Sexta, for Canton. Simongan, for Singapore. Suruga, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Par Fooksang, from Calcutta, &c., Messas R. Dicks, P. Scenter, and A. Gee. Per Hongkong Maru, for Hongkong: from San Francisco, Mr Thos. R. E. Borry, Mr Carlton Rickards, Mr Chas, C. Gardiner, Rec. Bro. Michael, Mr Frank Cargo remaining on board after FRI. J. Llewellyn, Mrs J. J. Richards, Muster DAY, 29th May, 1908, at 6 p.m., will J. C. Richards and Mr Jean Veirrier; be landed and stored at Consignees' risk from Yokohama, Mr Frank A. Gardiner, Mr and Mrs C. Richardson; from Kobe, Mrs J. M. Atherton. Miss Kat: Atherton, All cargo undelivered at Noon, TUES- Mr. W. O. Barker, Mrs C. C. Barker, Miss hert A. Borel, Mr and Mrs John F. All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo Chandler, Miss S. Flakman, Mr and Mrs will be examined at the above Company's | Henry F. Haynes, Mr and Mrs A. Whedon, Godowns on SATURDAY, May 30th, at Mr J. D. Van Vlack, and Mr H. M. Wheeler; from Manile, Mr M. N. Alegre, Mr and Mrs W. C. Asay, Messrs M. G. Gorazb. R. J. Johns, Theodore Kalaw, 795 H. Kohayashi, Frank W. Killern, W. D. MacClintock, Miss E. Hamilton, Captain

E. L. Ruffner, U.S.A., Lieut. Salvador ROXAB, Messre Theodoro Rogers, Manuel | For TIMOR, PURT DARWIN, THURS-Per Zufiro, from Manila, Messra R. Thomson, Holley Beyer, G. P. Datena, E. Leggest, Mr and Mrs C. F. Morrison and child, Messrs R. Vancens, T. Pay and M;

M. Thomson. Per Hitachi Maru, from Shanghai, &c., for Hongkong, Miss Collins, Mr and Mrs W. M. Thompson, Capt San Miranda, Mr Mori, 'I. C. L. Rochs, Mr. R. Henderson, Carrol; Messrs A. M. Victal, J. Nali, and

Per Yarva, for Merseiller, &c., Mr and Mrs It me Proust, Messrs Murches; Chevoner. Martel, Gauthier, Cadecioni, Loisy, All Claims against the Steamer must be Mauric, Taecon, Boujenand, Casey, Brest, presented to the Undersigned on or before P. I'aul, Sol, Gassi, Capiller, Mrs. Ninal and child, Mr Surjus, Mr and Mrs Budi-chowsky, Dr Wm. Wood, Mr Wm. W. "assiter, Miss D. Hastings, Mesers de Lattre, G. Viols, Gandelle, Le Tallee, will be examined on the 2nd prox., at Bires, Bareille, Heno Garatte, Mrs and Miss Tlurg, Mossrs J. Reynand, Pentral, Josse, Carriere, Eychemme, Dimonais, Mr F. W. Haigh Columna, Segon, L. Souce, Mrs Oyama, Lieut. R. Elio, Miss M. J. Jeanjacques, Miss M. S. Hoy-Mesers J. P. J. Walen, B. Taraporvala, P. Mr J. Hutchings 784 A. van de Stada, t. Devarenno, and Mr. H. W. Mundey Mr. F. E. Williford Mr. F. Stratton.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green leiand. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each above are marked o., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas. Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf, From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour & Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market. 6. From The Market to Poddar's Wharf. 6. From Poddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard,

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point 10. Rowloon Wharves. -

11. Jardine's Wharf.

BLAG AND | TONS |DATE OF CONSIGNEES OR AGENTS. DESTINATION. VESSELS' NAMES. CAPTAIN. NETT, ARRIVA Steamers. 8 c Wiseman British str. 2934 May 25 Mitsui Bussan Kaisha 3 c fenkins British str. 1563 May d c Bing Norw. str. 1102 May 1 c MeArthur British str. 2272 May 24 Gibb, Livingston & Co. Australian Ports 4 c Archibald British str. 3039 May Vancouver (B.C.) Feiching...... 3 c.f aramore Ch'ese str. 984 May 22 C. M. S. N. Co. Fooksapg 4 c Mitobell British str. 1987 May 25 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Shanghal & Japan | May 27. S'tow, Amoy, Anping May 27. 23 Osaka Shosen Raisha Germania 3 c Flugel Jer. str. Halvard 8 c Ranneberg Norw. str. 1519 May 4 Geo. McBain Hangsang 3 c Wilde British str. 1356 May 26 Jardine, Matheson & Co. S'pore and London May 27. Hongkong Maru 3 c Bent Japan. str. 3447 May 25 Toyo Kisen Kaisha Hopsang. 17 fardine, Matheson & Co. Ithaka 3 c Vogeler jer. etr. 987 May 21 jemssen & Co. Jacob Diederichsen de Hausen der. str | 622 May 26 lebsen & Co. 3 c Wavell British str. 1228 May 26 Sutterfield & Swire Koh-si-chang 3 c Rosiofsky Per. str. 1291 May "4 Buttsrfield & Swire 3 C Bradley British str. 3110 May 22 fardine, Matheson & Co 3 (Frampton British str. 1340 April 31 Chinese Lowther Castle 4 c Lightoller British etr. 2717 May 21 Shewan, Tomes & Co. 3 (Vatzins Ger. str. 1811 May 25 Sander, Wieler & Co. CLohrengel Fer. str. 3436 April 25 Ataka 3 c Ulderap Jor. 833 May 25 lebson & Co. 1321 May 190 M. S. N. Co. d c McArthur Chi. 3 : Uldall Dutch str. 1597 May 26 Chinese 17, and Swatow 24. Rice and Timber .-Myrtledene 9 : Maitland British str. 1205 May 26 Dodwell & Co., Ld. Ningpo 3 c Richards...... British str. 1206 May 20 Butterfield & Swice British str. 1738 May 20 M. B. K. Phonopenh 3 c Scott British str. 1069 Mry 25 hipese. Japan, str. 1275 May 2 Butterfield & Switter Reidar 8 e Strangebyn ... Norw. atr. 2279 May 14 Aagaard, Thoresen & Co. Sabine Rickmers Fries British str. 540 May 16 Asistic Petroleum Co. Cos'tan Dock Springburn 2 c Crosthwaite ... British atr. 3172 May 9 Standard Oil Co. 3 c Martin British str. 1042 May 14 Chinese 4 c Dawson dritish str. 1459 May 12 Butterfield & Swire Manila & Australia May 28. 3 Going Inpan. str. 3442 May 21 Poyo Kisan Kaisha Shai & San Ecisco June 2 Shanghai Hillberg wed. str. 989 April 23 Wallem & Co. K'toon Dock

Per Tonkin, for Shanghai, &c., Mossrs STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL Scheuyser, Sockeel, R. P. Brun, Rev. Lama, Messre Nova, Schultz, E. Blaucho, Hansen, Haiphong and Hoihow May 23, G. Trinchikaki, A. Linge, General Const. Mr La Prieur, Mr Pramonik, Mr and Mrs Kenel, Mesars S. A. Seth R. Seyler, .. G. da Silva, Darasse, Band, Miss Suzanges, Mr R. P. Veillon, Rev. Baron, Mesars Terrizeze, Bonnet, Denis, Varoni, L Guissoppe, A. Monica, Le Meuz, Marguet, Misser, W. H. Wilkinson, S. S. McKee M. Coenio, Mr Engel and family, and Mr

> CHARTER. Mr George Grimble's daily list has the following: S. S. Ulv, Manila to Ningpo and Shanghai, 26200, in full.

Marc Dutaux.

GENERAL On her voyage from Manila the Zatiro had fresh winds, increasing with a rough sea on approaching the China coast.

The Fooksang, from Singapore, reports fine weather to Macclesfield, thence strong N. E. wind and rough sea to port.

The steamer Sexta from Newchwang and Chefoo, reports fog and southerly winds to Turnsbout. Thence to port fair weather and northerly winds.

The Pheunpeuli from Saigon had light variable winds and fine weather to the Paracels; thence to port strong N. B. wind, high sea, and overcast sky.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close :-

For SHANGRAL-Per Tjilatjap at 9 a.m., on Wednesday. the 27th May. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL-

Per Hopsang, at 11 s.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May. For SHANGHAL-Por Hangsang, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May. For SHANGHAL, YOKOHAMA, KOBE

& MOJI. Por Fooksung, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May. For SAIGON. -Per Lacrtes, at 11 p.m., on Wednesday,

the 27th May. FOR MACAO. Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May. For SAIGON .-

Per Kuoto Maru, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May. For ILOILO.-Per Lowther Castle, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, the 27th May DAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN.

LAUNCESTON. NEW ZEALAND. & FREMANTLE. Por Bustern, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, The E. & A. s.s. Aldenham left Sydney Mr S. Fischer tie 28ch May FOR MANILA, ZAMBOANGA THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK-TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART,

LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND.

MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE

PERTH & FREEMANTLE. -

Par Taiman, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 28th May. PELHAM HOUSE. Mr K. Polstorif Miss W. Boyd Mr John Stewart Mr J W. Taylor Miss M. R. Taylor Mr Hagh Thomas Mr.F. H. Gillett Mr. T. P. Thompson Miss M. S. Hoy Mr Turner Mr P. Venske

Mr. F. E. Williford

April 21, Deucation, Maria Valerie, Atholl, Kasama, Urmidale. April 24; Anchencrang. April 28, Oopack.

May 1, Camaronshire, Sado Maru. May 5, Nippon, Bellerophon, Kostroma, May 8, Ajax, Dortmund, Sardinia, Kin May 12, Kleist, Benzois lich.

Maru, P. R. Luitpold, Nereus Frankby.

-May 19, Astyanav, Belgravia, Glenstrae Peshaevur, Schuylkill. May 22, Albenga, Antenor, Armund Behic, Idomeneus, Prometheus, Seneca, Socotra, Indrapura, Istria, Teenkai, Jasor

Lothian. ARRIVALS AT HOME.

May 22, Pakling, Tamba Maru, STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Arcadia with the .. ENGLISH MAIL of the 1st May; left Singapore on Friday, the 22nd May, at 2 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 27th May, at 8 a.m. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the Sist Merch and the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 22nd april and for despatch overland on the 29th April.

The Imp. German Mail a.s. Kleist carry ing the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 5th May, left Colombo on Saturday, the 23rd May, p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 3rd June, The Imp. German Mail a.s. Bulow left

Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Sunday, the 25th May, p.m., and may be expected there on or about Mon-day, the lat June. he C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India

the usual Ports of Call. The C. P. R. Co.'s B.B. Empress of Japan left Yokohama on Friday, the 15th May, at noon,

the 27th May.

on the 31st May. The I. C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Laisang left Wr A. H. Crook Calcutta for this port via The Straits Mr C. P. Datema on 15th May, and may be expected Mr C. M. Davidson De J. Ross

CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRIS. The e.s. Suruga, from New York, left Mr A. R. Dickinson Mr A. Schoenlight BANE, SYDNEY, HOBART Singapore for this port on the 19th Mr P. H. W. Dobbert Mr C. E. Shields MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PERTH The s.s. Montrose left Liverpool on 25th Mr T. H. Elarth

land Ports and Manilal.

the 28th May.

May, at 4 p.m.

on Monday for Kobe, where she is Mr ff. Doughty due to arrive at 5 a.m. on Wednesday, Mr Ferry the 27th May. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Manua latt Mr. C. Gierlot Manils on Tuesday, the 26th May, Mr Ginkel Miss A. White at noon, and may be expected here on Mr and Mrs Hewelt Mr T. Wiliford or about Priday, the 27th May.

EXCHANGE. Hongkong, May 26, 1908.

Manila

On London -Bank, Wire, On demand, 1/98 Oredits, 4 months' sight,1/30 Documentary, 4 months' sight, ... 1/102 On Parls-On demand. Credits, 4 months' aight. May 15, Renmohr. Polynesien, Bingo On Berlin-On demand On New York-On demand, see were see see 95% Credit, 60 days alghting on an 452

On Bombay-On Calcutta-On Singapore—

On demand. On Manile-On demand. On Shanghai-On demand, see see see see 745 30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 75% On Yokohama-On demand. ... Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per bael) ... \$57 3 Sovereigne (Bank's buying rate) ... £10 95

Silver (DEF OR.) Bar Silver in Hongkong Copper Cents Chinesa Sub. Coin \$87 Hongkong Sub, Coln 82 / dis

Capt. R. Innes

Mt R. M. Joseph

Mr and Mrs E.

Jeseph

Mr E. Leggatt

Mr A. C. Little

Mr R. Maddem

Mr G. U. McIntost

Mr H. Melaven -

Mr J. Nall

Mr P. Neshitt

Mr W. Newbold

- Mr B. Niedhardt

Mr E. H. Ray

Mr J. Robinson

Mr J. Spittles

Mr W. T. Stebbing

Rav. A. J. Stevens

Mr H. P. Thomas

Mr P. A. Thompson

Mr and Mra W. M

Thompson

Mr G. W. Tullidge

----Mr & Mrs A. Whedox

Mr J. D. Woods

Mrs V. E. Youdan-

VISITORS AT HOTELS. left Vancouver on Wednesday, the Mr P. R. Adams 13th May, a.m., for Hongkong, via Mr A. Aftalion" Mr D. L. Allen Mr M. Avenceno

Mr H. G. BattiscombeMr P. Kremer Mr R. Benson Mr T. R. E. Berry Mr W. Leighton Expected. The Glen Line s.s. Glenaven left Singapore Mr S. Bisney on the morning of 22nd May, and Miss S. Bisney Dr G. D. R. Black-Mr B. Mandell may be expected to arrive here on Mr A. B. Blunn The s.s. Sado Marte left Singapore Mr E. Bornand

for this port on the 22nd May, Mr T. Brayfield and is expected here on the 28th May. Mrs N. Brewer The Swedish a.s. Canton left Kobe via Mr O. M. Bromley Shanghai on Saturday morning, the Mr J. H. Bulmer 23rd May, and may be expected here Mr R. C. Burgess Mr B. L. Packer on or about Satorday, the 30th May. Mr S. C. de Bussierro Mr A. W J. Peake The s.s. Iyo Maru left Kobe for Mr.E. W. Carpenter Dr. W. W. Pearso for thi port via Moji and Shanghai on Mr.A. Carter Mr.T. L. Perkins the 22nd May, and is expected here Mrs H. W. Chandler Mr A. W. Polglase Mr H. R. Colvin Mr. M. L. Quegon

Mr M. Delafond Mr E. G. Ruffner here on or about the 1st June. Mrs Edwards on 14th May for this port (via Queens- Mr.P. Fladgate Mr.F. J. Flangan.

Mr B. L. Frost The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Eitel Mr Denman Fuller Mr C. Wallach Friedrich which left here on Wednes- Mr C. O. Gardner day, the 20th May, at noon, arrived Mr and Mes Hains hurtonat Singapore on Sunday, the 24th Capt. T. Hall Mr R. Harding The O. P. R. Co. a a s. Glenfary arrived at Mr.J. L. Harrison Nogasaki at 8.30 a.m. on Tweeday, the 26th May, and left again at 6 p.m. on same day for Kobe, where the is

due to arrive at 5 s.m. on Thursday, Cart. T. Knight The O. P. R. Co,'s s.s. Lennez arrived Mr H. Carey at Yokohama at 6 p.m. on Sunday, Mr J. Cruickshank Mrs Lafferty Mr R. A. Lovry the 24th May, and left again at noon Mr U. Dale Capt. & Mrs Mericos Mr Wm, Pringle Mr H. E. Ripge Mr Rutherford Mr J. S. White Miss A. White Mrand Mra Jenkin

Mr.C. B. Franklin

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION,	VESELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.
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	Buelow (a)	Melchers & Co	June 5 at Noon.
	Bupeh (a)	Butterfield & Swire	June 2, at 9 a.m.
	Arbia (8)	Portland & A. S. Co.	About June 6.
L'don, H'burg, A'wer	p Cardiganshire (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co	About June 10.
London, &c	De ta (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	May 30, at Noon.
London, A'erp, &c.	Glenearn (s)	McGregor Bros. & Got	June 15.
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San Francisco v. Japa	nn China (8)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	July 11, at Noon.
		Pacific Mail 8.8. Co.	July 18, at Noon.
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		Osaka Shosen Kalsha	. May 31. at 9 a.m.
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Shanghal	Kiukiang (8)	Butterfield & Swire.	May 30, at 4 p.m.
Shanghai	Arcadia (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About May 28.
Shanghal	Hangsang (a)	Jardine, M'son & Oc.	May 27, at Noon.
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